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§1.116 - EXPEDITED PROCEDURE -  
EXAMINING GROUP 2154****IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE****RECEIVED  
CENTRAL FAX CENTER****Applicant(s):** Bradley S. Tagg**Examiner:** Jungwon Chang**MAY 21 2004****Serial No:** 09/556,963**Art Unit:** 2154**Filed:** April 21, 2000**Docket:** 13116 (END919990099US1)**For:** METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR  
CONTEXTUAL PASSIVE RULE-  
BASED NAVIGATION BETWEEN  
APPLICATIONS SUPPORTING  
NETWORK-DISCONNECTED USE**Dated:** May 21, 2004**Confirmation No.:** 6297Mail Stop AF  
Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313**AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.116**

Sir:

In response to the final Official Action dated March 25, 2004, the Applicant respectfully solicits the Examiner to reconsider the application in view of the following amended claims and remarks.

Amendments to the Claims begin on page 2 of this Amendment.

Remarks begin on page 11 of this Amendment.

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